

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

A B S T R A C T

Public Services – I & CAD Department – Sri C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired - Irregularities in the execution of “Reconstruction of Nakkalagandi Reservoir surplus weir and restoration of earth bund damaged during cyclone in 10/1996 in Varikuntapadu mandal, Nellore district-Disciplinary proceedings finalised-Imposition of a penalty of 5% cut in pension for five years - Orders Issued.

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IRRIGATION & CAD (SER.X.2) DEPARTMENT

GO.Ms.No. 162

Dt:24 .09.2008

Read the following:

1. G.O. Rt. No.1095, I & CAD (CAD Services II.2) Department, dt. 17.06.,2002.
2. G.O. Rt. No.1096, I & CAD (CAD Services II.2) Department, dt. 17.06.,2002.
3. From Sri C. Eswar Raju, formerly Executive Engineer(Now Retd.),
Written Statement of Defence, dt.03.09. 2002.
4. G.O.Rt.No.1874, I & CAD (CAD Ser.II) Department, dt. 23.12.2002.
4. From Sri D. Bhaskara Rao Member, COI (GAD) Lr. No. COI- M(DBR) /
I & CAD / 77 / 2003, dt. 16.6.2003.
6. Govt.Memo.No.1634/Ser.X.2/2002-31,dt.14.11.2005.
7. From Sri C. Eswar Raju, EE(Retd.), dt. 23.12.2005.
8. Govt. Memo. No. 1634/Ser.X.2/2002-36, 16.11.2006.
9. From Sri C. Eswar Raju, EE(Retd.), dt. 12.01.2007.
10. Government letter No. 1634/Ser.X.2/2005-39, dt. 17.7.2008.
11. From the Secretary, A.P.P.S.C., Hyderabad Lr.No.1055/RT-I/1/2008,
dt. 26.08.2008.

O R D E R :

It was brought to the notice of the Government that certain irregularities have been taken place in execution of Reconstruction of Nakkalagandi Reservoir surplus weir and restoration of earth bund damaged during cyclone in 10/2006 in Varikunapadu mandal, Nellore District and nine Engineering officials found responsible for the above irregularities. Sri C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired is one among them.

2. After examining the issue in detail, it was decided to initiate departmental action against the erring officials. Accordingly, in the references 1st and 2nd read above, Articles of charges have been framed against Sri C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired along with other erring officers. Sri C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired has submitted his Written Statement of defence vide reference 3rd read above. After examination of the Written Statement of Defence submitted by the Accused officer, it was decided to entrust the case to the Commissioner of Inquiries to conduct enquiry into the charges framed against Sri C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired along with other accused officers.

3. Accordingly, in the reference 4th read above, orders were issued appointing Sri D. Bhaskar Rao, Member Commissionerate of Inquires, General administration Department to conduct departmental enquiry into the charges framed against the Charged Officers and in the reference 5th read above, the Inquiring Authority, after conducting the Inquiry, has submitted his enquiry report.

4. The Government have examined the enquiry report and disagreed with the findings of the Enquiry Officer and in the reference 6th read above, a copy of the enquiry report along with disagreement factors have been communicated to the Charged Officer, Sri C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired and directed him to submit his explanation.

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5. In the reference 7th read above, C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired has submitted his explanation and after examining the explanation of the Charged Officer, it was proposed to impose a penalty of 5% cut in pension for five years on him. In the reference 8th read above, a Show Cause Notice was issued to C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired directing him to submit his representation if any, on the decision of the department.

6. In the reference 9th read above, C. Eswar Raju, the then Executive Engineer (FAC) QC Division Ongole, now Retired has submitted his representation. After examination of the representation of C. Eswar Raju, Executive Engineer (Retd.), it was decided to impose the penalty of 5% cut in pension for five years against C. Eswar Raju, Executive Engineer (Retired). Accordingly in the 10th read above the Secretary, A.P.P.S.C., Hyderabad has been requested to communicate the concurrence of the Commission on the decision of the Government. In the reference 11th read above the Secretary, A.P.P.S.C., Hyderabad has communicated the concurrence of the Commission on the decision of the Government to impose the penalty of 5% cut in pension for five years against Sri C. Eswar Raju, Executive Engineer (Retd.).

7. Accordingly Government hereby order to impose the penalty of 5% cut in pension for five (5) years on Sri C. Eswar Raju, Executive Engineer (Retd.) in the disciplinary case relating to irregularities committed in the execution of "Reconstruction of Nakkalagandi Reservoir surplus weir and restoration of earth bund damaged during cyclone in 10/2006 in Varikunapadu mandal, Nellore by him.

8. The Engineer-In-Chief (Administration Wing), I & CAD Department, Hyderabad shall take action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.P.TUCKER
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri C. Eswar Raju, Executive Engineer (Retd.) through the Engineer-In-Chief (Administration wing), I & CAD Department, Hyderabad.

Copy to the Engineer-In-Chief (Administration wing) I & CAD Department, Hyderabad.

Copy to the Secretary, A.P.V.C., Hyderabad.

Copy to the Secretary, A.P.P.S.C., Hyderabad

Copy to the Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

//FORWARDED : : BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER